

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

NOTICE OF APPEAL AND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME **PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)** Application Number Filing Date

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Examiner Rita Leykin Art Unit 2837

Invention Title

DEVICE FOR MONITORING A MEASURING SYSTEM OF AN ELECTRIC DRIVE

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interference from the decision of the Examiner made in the Advisory Action dated November 6, 2003 finally rejecting claims 15 to 29.

Applicants also respectfully request a **one-month** extension of time in which to respond to the Final Office Action dated May 13, 2003, for which a response period expiring on August 13, 2003 was set. A first response to the Final Office Action was filed within two months of the mailing date of the Final Office Action, and an Advisory Action was mailed on November 6, 2003. Therefore, the one-month extension requested above is believed to extend the period for response to November 13, 2003. If the foregoing request for an extension is insufficient to extend the period for response to November 13, 2003, Applicants request, in the alternative, a three-month extension of time in which to respond to the Final Office Action dated May 13, 2003.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. § 1.191 Notice of Appeal fee of \$330.00 and the 37 CFR §1.136(a) extension fee of \$110.00, or the 37 CFR § 1.136(a) extension fee of \$950.00 requested in the alternative, to the deposit account of Kenyon & Kenyon, deposit account number 11-0600. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment in connection with this paper to Deposit Account No. 11-0600. A duplicate copy of this communication is enclosed for that purpose.

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